

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

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Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Ypres.

In the salient of Ypres there are not less than one hundred thousand graves of allied soldiers, sometimes marked by plain wooden crosses, sometimes obliterated by the debris of ruined trenches, sometimes hidden in corners of fields. The ground is forever England; it is also forever France. When the war is over this triangle of meadow land, with a ruined city for its base, will be an enclave of Belgian soil conspersed as the holy land of two peoples. It will never be common ground. It will be for us the most hallowed spot on earth, for it holds our bravest dead, and it is a proof and record of a new spirit.—John Buchan in Kansas City Star.

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Her Title.

Bacon—I understand his wife has a position now?
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"And does he call her his better half?"
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SHEEP INDUSTRY ON THE INCREASE.



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Gradual and Logical Movement
in Industry Toward More
and Better Flocks.

INCREASE MUTTON AND WOOL

Farmers Are Beginning to Realize
That Dual Purpose Animals Fit
Admirably into System of
Mixed Farming.

There has been a gradual and logical movement in the sheep industry toward more and better flocks on the farms of the Central and Eastern States. That the farm states are destined to become the seat of the great sheep industry and the farm flock a more important part in permanent agriculture, is the opinion of specialists of the United States department of agriculture who have been in close touch with the situation. While the number and size of the flocks in most of the range states are declining, there is a distinct trend toward the production of more wool and mutton in the states where more intensive farming is practiced, they say.

Taking the entire country as a whole, the sheep industry is on the increase. In 1917 there was a net increase of 2 per cent in the United States over 1916, according to reports of the bureau of crop estimates of the United States department of agriculture, while the July 1, 1918, estimates show a 12.7 per cent increase over the same date of the previous year. Further proof that the sheep industry has gathered impetus is shown by the record of wool production, estimates for 1918 showing 257,921,000 pounds, as against 240,573,000 pounds in 1917.

Reason for Farm Trend.

The increase in the farm states and the decrease in the range territory is due partly to the fact that range lands have increased in value and the continued homesteading has broken up the areas which were once in free range. In the farm states also, the wool type of sheep has given way to the wool and mutton varieties, which has been the principal factor in bringing about an increase. The decline in the sheep industry on the Western range should not be interpreted to mean that the business in that section is going to entirely disappear, for there is every reason to believe that the range country will always continue as an important sheep-producing center. Large areas in Western states will not economically lend themselves to any other grazing purposes.

Sheep which yield both wool and mutton are well adapted to more or less intensive farming. Farmers are beginning to realize that sheep of this kind fit admirably into a system of mixed farming, and with the meat and wool markets becoming more stabilized there is little need to become concerned with the yearly market fluctuations of these two products. Sheep on farms should be assured a larger place as they can successfully share with other stock in the economical and profitable utilization of farm crops, as well as being producers of valuable clothing material for which there is no complete substitute. Doubling our wool production would not render us independent of wool imports but would meet the needs for military purposes and a large part of that needed for civilian uses.

Mistake to Rush In.

One of the chief drawbacks at the present time to a more rapid development of the industry in the farming states is the lack of knowledge of good flock management. There is danger in the tendency to rush into this new line of farming, which increased prices have brought about, where experience is lacking. While there is nothing difficult about managing sheep, it must be remembered that sheep breeding is essentially a long-term proposition and not a one-season crop like wheat, corn or oats; and should be entered into with this well in mind.

LIVE STOCK NOTES

Glts should be at least eight months old when bred. The sow three years old is better able to farrow a large healthy litter than a gilt.

A satisfactory feed for a mature bull is alfalfa or clover hay and a grain mixture of corn, with oats or bran.

If disappointment and failure are to be avoided.

Sheep require a small amount of high-priced grain compared with other farm animals. They utilize and thrive upon forage crops to a great extent and will make use of rough feeds about the farm which other stock will not eat. They require a small amount of labor also, which is one reason for the increase in the industry in the farming states.

The rising prices of wool and mutton since 1914 no doubt have added further impetus to sheep raising. Since the advance in price began before the war, it is fair to assume that the war is not to be given all the credit for this spirited activity and that the industry is likely to enjoy continued fair prices for a considerable time after the conclusion of peace.

INDUSTRY INCREASES

Sheep increased 12.6 per cent in the United States from July 1, 1917, to July 1, 1918, according to reports of the bureau of crop estimates of the United States department of agriculture. The estimates of January 1, 1918, show 2.7 per cent more sheep than for the previous year. In 1917 there was a net increase of 2 per cent over 1916. The production of wool also shows that the sheep industry has gathered impetus during recent years. Estimates for 1918 show 257,921,000 pounds of wool were produced, as against 245,573,000 pounds in 1917. This does not include approximately 48,000,000 pounds of pulled wool for each year.

Plenty of Room for Sheep.

There is plenty of room for the expansion of the sheep industry in the Central and Eastern states, and specialists of the United States department of agriculture say that these states can do much to help the western range sheep raisers in producing wool and mutton. A survey of the entire country reveals that there is immediate opportunity for increasing the sheep population to some extent in the rough and idle lands of the Appalachian region, the cut-over timber lands of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan and the South Atlantic and Gulf states. There is also much to be done in improving the carrying capacity on many of the farms where sheep are now being raised. The unimproved and in farms, amounting to nearly half of their total area, offers considerable possibilities for increasing the number of sheep. Much of this land is now used in a limited way for livestock pastures, while other areas are wholly idle. They could be made to furnish fair summer grazing for sheep, and with slight rearrangement in the cropping system, and the keeping of other live stock, could be made to furnish winter feed for sheep.

This Is Cottonseed Meal.

Digestible nutrients—Protein, 57 per cent; carbohydrates and fat, 42.5 per cent. Cottonseed meal is the richest in protein of all the common cow feeds on the market. It is usually the cheapest source of protein available, but it does not have the best physiological effect upon the cow, often causing digestive troubles if fed in large quantities for long periods. At first it is advisable to start with 1 to 2 pounds a day, gradually increasing the quantity if no bad results are observed. In some herds in the North as high as 5 to 6 pounds a day are fed without bad results. In the South there seems to be no limit in this direction.

Cottonseed meal is a highly concentrated feed and should, if possible, be fed in a mixture with some bulky feed like bran. It can be fed to better advantage when the roughage contains an ample quantity of succulent feed. While its physiological effect in the North at least is not good as compared with most other cow feeds, its cheapness and the fact that in time the cows seem to overcome this tendency to digestive trouble from it are rapidly giving it great prominence as a cheap source of protein for dairy cows.

Swine are grass-eating animals and this fact must be remembered and acted upon in connection with any system of feeding that may be adopted.

Trim the breeding ewes and flush before breeding.

Keep the hog pens free from draughts, clean and dry and you will have little trouble.

Keep the young pigs going ahead all the time or else winter feeding will be expensive.

Spray all stalls and floors well before animals occupy them for the winter.

WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS

American English the Coming World Language?

WASHINGTON.—The war has given English a mighty impetus toward becoming the world language. Certainly no other language has ever a fighting chance of world supremacy. If there is to be a world language it will be English. The cable daily records the delight of our war correspondents over the fact that the "American language" is coming into its own overseas through the American soldier. "American as she is spoke" by the American soldier is vivid, picturesque and slangy. And American slang is conceded to be the just about the best slang there is.

Now, nobody objects to slang as slang, provided it is interpolated in good American language. But it is a sad truth that most educated foreigners shame us in the use of our own tongue. We are downright slovenly in talking. We clip and slur and mumble our words, even when we are grammatically correct. And people who know better habitually use slang as if it were the only vocabulary they had.

The fastidious ear is shocked every hour of the day. The college girl says, "My bean feels hum." The shopgirl speaks of her "genium" fren. The citizen discourses concerning the "government by Merca." The young fellow says "gonna" and "betcha" and "nuthin' at all." Well-dressed women use "I hadn't ought tuh."

That is why there is a campaign on for better American speech which has already attained nation-wide proportions. We Americans believe that if English is to be the world language it will be American English rather than English—English—an American evolution of English. So the campaigners for better American speech think it is high time for us to begin to break up the habits of mongered speech into which we have fallen, largely because slang has seemed to us more effective than English pure and unadorned.

Memorial Trees for Soldiers on Lincoln Highway

MEMORIAL trees along the Lincoln highway is the unique memorial to our soldier and sailor dead proposed by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, which has charge of the roadside planting of the famous transcontinental highway. The Lincoln highway, a memorial to Abraham Lincoln, runs from coast to coast, starting at New York city and ending at San Francisco and passing through 12 states. It is already in operation the whole distance and is being transformed as fast as conditions will permit into a concrete automobile highway. Mrs. John Dickinson Sherman, chairman of the conservation department of the general federation, is at the head of the roadside planting; Mrs. W. L. Arnold, Chicago, is chairman of the committee on Lincoln highway.

"Memorial trees fit in very well with our roadside planting plans," said Mrs. Sherman. "Our comprehensive planting plan was prepared by Jett Jensen of Chicago. It provides for the planting of trees, shrubs and flowers indigenous to the locality. Illinois is already prepared with a detailed planting plan which specifies the trees, shrubs and flowers for every mile of the Lincoln way in the state and gives full instructions. Special attention is given to trees bearing bird food, as we hope to make the way a bird sanctuary its whole length. Many state federations and women's clubs throughout the country in states through which the way does not pass will plant memorial miles.

"I know of no more fitting memorial to a soldier who gave his life to his country than a tree. And a fitting place for this fitting memorial is the transcontinental highway in memory of the great American who also gave his life to his country. I believe many such memorial trees will be planted. The Employers' association of Bucyrus, O., is planning to plant a memorial elm for each Bucyrus or Crawford county boy.

"General federation officers in each state—the president of the state federation or the conservation chairman—should be consulted in the planting."

Another Triumph of American Inventive Genius

CESSATION of hostilities makes public the invention of a wireless telephone which was successfully used by American aviators in airplane fighting in the closing weeks of the war without the knowledge of the Germans. This important military secret has been known to hundreds of loyal Americans for several months but has been jealously guarded. By means of this radio telephone it was possible for a ground observer to talk to pilots in the air miles away. Commanders of air squadrons could voice warnings to all their pilots as to the movements of enemy aircraft, and squadron formations of all sorts could be maintained in the air as easily as infantry units on the ground.

"There are some details concerning it which we cannot discuss yet," says John D. Ryan, director of aircraft production. "I have myself, standing on the ground, given orders to a squadron flying in the air and watched them maneuver according to instructions. The transmission of the voice is clear enough to be heard distinctly over the noise of the airplane motor."

This is all very interesting, especially as it sets the imagination to work applying the invention to the everyday needs of life in times of peace. And so it goes. Score another triumph of American inventive genius!

1,481 Kinds of Jobs Open to Crippled Soldiers

RECENT surveys by the Red Cross Institute for Crippled and Disabled Men have brought out that the field open for re-establishment of such men in industrial life is much wider than probably is generally supposed. Investigations of 542 factories since January 1 last have revealed 1,238 kinds of jobs open to leg cripples and 278 open to arm cripples. Attention was given sanitary conditions and precautions for safety.

The report describes in detail the processes involved in each casualty investigation; the advantages and disadvantages of each for arm and leg cripples, respectively; the wages paid; the organization of the trade, and the provisions for the safety of workers. The following industries are included: The piano industry, the leather industry, the rubber industry, the paper goods industry, the shoe industry, the metal goods, the silk industry, cigar manufacture, drugs and chemicals, the candy industry, the celluloid industry, optical goods, and the motion picture industry.

"Our work will be to get in touch with every disabled soldier and sailor that returns home in this division, get him into profitable occupation and see that he makes good there," said a vocational officer of one of the fifteen divisions.

Washington is as Good-Natured as It Is Crowded

THERE'S one thing about Washington that's lacking in every other large city. That's the good-natured spirit of fellowship and comradeship, the spirit of "let's make the best of it" that you find everywhere. Take the street car crews, for example. They're the pleasantest lot you'll find between Boston and San Francisco, and that in the midst of traffic conditions that make every hour a rush hour and strapping inevitable.

Here's an almost verbatim report of the monologue carried on by a conductor on a packed northeast car through the shopping district the other evening:

"Come on, folks; move up in the aisle. The motorman won't bite you; he only looks that way! Seventh street! Here's a lot more hungry folks that want their supper. Give 'em room. Pack the sardines a little tighter there!"

"Tenth street! You want to get off? Well, you don't want to get off any worse than you want you off. Let the man off, people. Now, move forward in the aisle, please. Look at all the room up there! Two inches, at least! 'Say, do you know I wake up nights and catch myself telling my wife to move up in the aisle in my sleep? I hope the draft board catches me quick. The trenches can't be worse than this."

"Fares, please. Don't be bashful. Hand over the nickels. 'Union station! Here's where we get some room. Change for New York and points west!"

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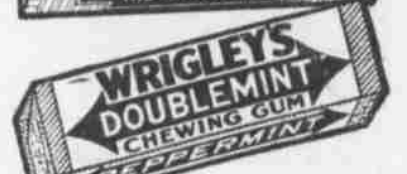
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"A handsome young American officer was sending a wire one day in a London post office where I was mailing a package. The girl telegraph clerk, running over the officer's message, said:

"I can't make out whether this reads 'No funds' or 'No fun.'"

"Oh, well, what's the difference?" said the young officer, gloomily lighting a cigarette.

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"It was a great send-off they gave Jimmy, wasn't it?" "Yes, and there'll be a comeback, too."

"What's in a name?" The old turkey gobbler will taste good no matter what he is called.

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A few days ago a physician of Winchester gave a small box of liver pills to one of his patients. The pills were only partly used and a few days later the patient's wife discovered that her four-year-old daughter had found the pills and eaten them. Frantic with fear she gave the child all the milk she had in the house and then excitedly ran to the telephone and called for the physician.

"Is this Doctor?" "Yes," asked the mother. "Yes," came the reply. "Doctor, hurry to our house. Helen has eaten the rest of the box of pills you gave Joe; hurry! I have given her all the milk I have."

"Don't worry; come up town and I will give you some more," replied the doctor.—Indianapolis News.

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